

Sand Mountain Fire Up-date September 11, 2011

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Start Date: September 9, 2011 @ 1622 hours (4:22 PM)

Cause: Unknown

Location: T14S, R 5W, NWSW Sec 1

Lat: 39°,37',49", Lon: 112°,21',40"

Jurisdiction: Fillmore BLM Field Office, West Desert District

Fire Size: 130 acres

Fuels: Grass and pinyon-juniper

Fire Behavior: Smoldering

Resources Assigned: 3 Engines, Air Attack, total personnel - 10.

Weather Forecast: Partly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Maximum temperatures 74-83; minimum humidity 19-29 percent; winds 5-10 mph, upslope/upvalley.

Narrative: Yesterday crews made good progress toward containing the fire and began mop up. Today's activities include: improving and re-enforcing firelines, continued mop up along the fire perimeter and rehabilitation of firelines.

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